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Notice of Abandonment	Examiner	Art Unit	
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The MAILING DATE of this communication		1	
This application is abandoned in view of:			
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Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTC).		thin the statutory period of three months	
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7. The reason(s) below:

The Examiner left a message on Michael Downs' voicemail on January 5, 2009 regarding the status of the application.

/James W Myhre/ Supervisory Patent Examiner, Art Unit 3688

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